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ROOT NAMED

For Secretary of War. And He Accepts the Office.

More Surgeons Needed in the Philippines.

By Associated Press to the Journal.

WASHINGTON, July 22.—Elihu Root, of New York, has been tendered and has accepted the secretaryship of war.

(Elihu Root was born in 1845 and graduated at Hamilton College and a New York University law school. He was admitted to the bar in 1867, since which time he has been in active practice in this city. He was one of the most prominent members of the New York state constitutional convention, where he served as chairman on the judiciary committee.)

MANILA, via Hong Kong, July 22.—Chief Surgeon Woodhull considers that the increase in the military force in the Philippines will necessitate the employment of forty additional surgeons. Woodhull's recommendation was disapproved by General Otis. There are nearly 3,000 soldiers in the hospital. Regimental surgeons report large numbers of soldiers on duty as unfit for service.

WASHINGTON, July 22.—The president today issued a proclamation publishing to the world that a reciprocity agreement between the United States and Portugal, the first of arrangements under the Dingley act to be concluded, since that made with France last year.

Mill Improvements.

D. E. Swank has received a new turbine wheel for his mill which when placed will cost about \$1,000. The mill is being raised and a new stone foundation is being put under it. The improvements in all will amount to about \$3,000. The work will all be finished so as to be ready for grinding by August 1st.

E. H. Flagg went to Hillsboro today. H. Poble is at Gladstone Park over Sunday.

Winona Savage has returned from a visit at Brownsville. Miss Lena Knight, left today to join a party at Clatsop beach.

Miss Esther Collins returned today from a visit at Bogue. Mayor Bishop has gone to Gladstone and Portland for Sunday.

D. C. Sherman went to Portland to spend Sunday with his family. Mrs. Mary Holmes, of Frisco, wife of Joe Holmes, formerly of Salem, who has been here to attend the funeral of her father, John H. Jory, went today to visit her sister Mrs. Emma Laskey near Bogue.

The Northern Pacific, the popular route to the east, has through Pullman sleepers and free sleepers so that passengers can to a certain extent travel as best suits their purpose.

They can also obtain on the through dining car a cup of coffee and sandwich or anything in the way of a meal they may want, paying for just what they get, and no more. Do not forget that you save money by buying your tickets in Salem. If you are going east, or want information about the trip, call on or address

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JAPS AND CHINESE FIGHT.

Fifty on One Side 250 on the Other; Eleven Wounded.

FAIRHAVEN, Wash., July 22.—War broke out last night between 50 Japanese on the one side and 250 Chinese on the other. The fight raged intermittently all night and today, knives, rocks and iron bars being the weapons used. The total list of casualties this evening was 10 Chinese and one Japanese wounded. The combatants are employees of the salmon cannery here, and the fight is the result of a drunken debauch.

Installation.

Court Sherwood Forest No. 19, F. of A. met last evening and did some initiatory work, after which the following officers were duly installed by the court: Deputy Installing Officer, Dr. W. S. Mott, which beautiful ritualistic ceremony was performed in a most impressive manner: C. R., C. A. Mellon; Sub. C. R., Ira Hamilton; Rec. Secy., John M. C. R., W. B. Lynch; S. W., Ed Ellis; S. B., Wm. Buck; after which a general good time and lunch was indulged in and with music and merriment the remainder of the evening was spent.

River News.

The steamer Albany did not arrive up yesterday on her regular trip, having remained in Portland to have her boilers inspected. She will resume her regular schedule tomorrow.

The steamer City of Eugene went up last evening heavily laden with freight for upper river points.

The Gypsy went up at 6 o'clock this morning.

Several Salem business men have subscribed to the fund which is being raised for the improvement of the road leading to Eola, which for a short distance is in poor condition. When sufficient money is raised the road will be put in condition by the overseer, and it is to be hoped the road will cause no more trouble.

NEGRO LYNCHED

Taken From Officers By a Mob and Hanged.

By Associated Press to the Journal. ST. LOUIS, July 22.—A Post despatch special from Mexico City, says Frank Embree, a negro charged with assaulting a 14-year old Miss Daugherty near Benton, a few weeks ago, has been taken from the officer by a mob at Steinmetz, and was hanged to a tree.

Ingersoll's Last Words.

Robert G. Ingersoll's last utterance yesterday when Mrs. Ingersoll asked him how he was feeling he said: "Oh, better." And a second after they were uttered he was dead. There was not even a sign of a groan as death came.

(Robert Green Ingersoll was born in Dresden, N. Y., August 11, 1833. His father was a Congregational clergyman of much prominence, and frequently took occasion to discuss between himself and his parish. Robert's boyhood was spent in Wisconsin and Illinois, where the family removed in 1843. After studying law he opened an office in Shawnee town, Ill., with his brother Eben, who was subsequently a member of congress. Both engaged in politics, but the surroundings were uncongenial, and 1857 they moved to Peoria. In 1860 Robert was a Democratic candidate for congress, but was defeated. In 1862 he became colonel of the 11th Illinois cavalry, and eighteen months later became a Republican. In 1866 he was appointed attorney-general for Illinois. At the national Republican convention of 1876 he proposed the name of James G. Blaine for the presidential nomination in a speech that attracted much attention. From that time his services as a campaigner were in demand throughout the country. In 1877 he refused the post of minister to Germany. He took part in numerous noted lawsuits in all parts of the United States, and was counsel for the so-called star-route contractors, whose trial ended in acquittal in 1883. He was well known by his books, pamphlets, and speeches, directed against the Christian religion.)

Hop Contract Filed.

County Clerk W. W. Hall, yesterday filed a contract. By the terms of which, John Greenwald, of Aurora, agrees to deliver to William Uhlman & Co., of San Francisco, two-thirds of the crop of hops grown on his farm near Aurora, there being seven acres in the yard. The contract mentions no specific sum of money as consideration, but the grantor agrees to pay to the grantee one cent per pound as commission for selling the crop, provided 20 cents or less is realized from the sale, and more if the price realized is more than 20 cents per pound. All advances made or to be made in the hope, for purpose of cultivation are to bear 8 per cent interest.

The Draft Was Too Big.

A pickpocket at the Union depot in Cleveland, O., the other night stole a \$40,000 New York draft. It proved worse than an elephant on his hands. The amount was so enormous that the thief concluded that to attempt to negotiate it would be suicidal. So he threw the draft, together with the pocket book which had contained it, into a mail box. The pocket book and draft were placed in Postmaster Hutchins' hands later.

Gov. Geer went to Gladstone today and will join a cycle party for an outing Sunday.

CALLED OUT

Four Companies of Militia. Strike is About Ended in Brooklyn.

In the Corcoran Case the Coroners Jury Testimony Ruled Out.

By Associated Press to the Journal.

CLEVELAND, July 22.—Forty companies of the national guard were called out by Mayor Farley today, for strike duty. A serious rear end collision occurred on Ontario street today, between a Scoville avenue car, manned with a non-union crew and a Woodland avenue car. The four passengers were badly hurt.

A big crowd surrounded the cars and threatened the non-union crew of the Scoville avenue car. There were shouts of "lynch him," "break his head," and of "lynch him." The crowd became very threatening. The police soon arrived. They struck a number of people with clubs before the crowd finally gave way.

NEW YORK, July 22.—The street railway strike in Manhattan borough and Brooklyn is practically at an end. Cars are running on regular schedules without interference.

WALLACE, Ida, July 22.—This morning Judge Stewart held that Corcoran's testimony, taken before the coroners jury, was inadmissible. In ruling he said he had grave doubts as to the correctness but preferred in the matter of doubt to give the benefit to the defendant. The state only has one more witness left to prove the running time of the train on the day of the riot.

NEW YORK, July 22.—The non-union motorman on Pearl street fired half dozen shots this afternoon into a crowd of boys near the bridge in South Brooklyn. None of the shots took effect. The car was in a blockade and the boys were jeering the motorman and conductor.

DESVER, July 22.—An attempt was made this morning to re-open the Globe smelter, the old schedule of ten and twelve hours being maintained in all the departments and the wages increased 10 per cent. Very few of the former employees applied for work. The Smelters' Union having voted to adhere to the eight-hour law.

Four Men Buried Alive.

AKRON, O., July 22.—Four men were buried under four hundred tons of clay in a bank of the Buckeye Sewer Pipe Co., east of Akron today. The dead are Daniel Callahan, Andrew Plosny, an unknown onlooker and an unknown German. The fall was so sudden that the men had no chance to escape.

Had Declared Intentions.

NEW ORLEANS, July 22.—A despatch from Tallulah says the five Italians who were lynched yesterday had been living in Madison parish for some years and had all filed their declarations to become citizens. Some had applied for their naturalization papers.

Census Super-visors.

WASHINGTON, July 22.—The following are the census supervisors for Washington state—First district, Joseph R. McMillan; Fairhaven; Second, Austin Ayers, Ellensburg.

Already Cared For.

Johnny Edwards, the hero of Malheur, one of the Second Oregon boys returned to Corvallis on a leave of absence. The board of regents of the O. A. C. immediately made him engineer of the new heating plant at a salary of \$603 in that institution.

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CLARA FITCH

Murdered in Cycle Park, Where She Had a Meeting With Her Lover.

Latter is Under Arrest on Suspicion of Having Committed the Foul Crime.

Portland Telegram, July 21:

Clara Fitch, the 19-year old daughter of George A. Fitch, who lives on East Salmon street, was found dead in Cycle Park Thursday afternoon about 4 o'clock, and Frank McDaniel is now in jail charged with her murder.

The body was found by George Arnold, who is employed by Mrs. P. Platz. He was hunting for the cows in the park, when he saw a woman's feet sticking out from under some ferns. The remainder of her body was completely covered by ferns. He thought it was a sleeping woman at first, but pushing the ferns aside and touching the woman, who lay with her face in her hat, he discovered that she was dead, and at once gave the alarm, when the police and coroner were notified.

Clara Fitch left home Wednesday evening saying she was going to the home of her friend, Miss Sutherland, and would be back soon. Mrs. Fitch understood that she was going over to see Bertha Sutherland, one of her friends, and paid little attention to the matter. Some friends are visiting the Fitches, and in company with those, Mrs. Fitch went out for the evening. She noticed upon her return that Clara had not returned, and decided that she had concluded to spend the night with the Sutherlands.

Chief McLanchlan put all of his detectives at work on the case, with instructions to leave nothing undone to find the girl. They learned from Bertha Sutherland that Clara Fitch had been seen in company with Frank McDaniel early Wednesday evening. The detectives concluded that she had been taken to some house, where she was detained, and commenced to search for McDaniel.

McDaniel admits to detectives of being with the murdered girl on Wednesday night and says they were in Cycle Park until 9 or 10 o'clock, when he took her within two blocks of her home, and left her, as he was not allowed to go to the house. Her parents had forbidden him going there, and they had been meeting clandestinely.

He declares he knew nothing of her being missing or dead until shortly before 8 o'clock, when crossing the Morrison-street bridge on a wheel he heard three boys say a dead girl had been found on the East Side. He dismounted from his wheel and inquired who she was, and was told that it was Clara Fitch. He says he then rushed to his boarding-place, and was met by the detectives.

When McDaniel failed to show up at the barn at 6 o'clock, but instead Mr. Morris' son brought the team, the detectives knew he had been given notice that officers were looking for him. They that he got the Morris boy to take the team to the barn, and went to his boarding-place, where he hurriedly changed his clothes without washing his hands or face, and hastened away. He took young Morris' wheel and rode down across the Morrison-street bridge to the St. Charles, where he washed his hands and face. From there he went to the Vienna cafe, on Washington street, where he got his supper, and was returning across Morrison-street bridge when he claims he heard of the girl's death.

Clara Fitch, the murdered girl, was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Fitch. She lived at home with her par-

ents, and has always been looked upon as a well-behaved girl. For some time young McDaniel has paid her attention, but her parents decided he was not a proper person to associate with their daughter, and forbade him coming to their home.

George A. Fitch is an engineer, in the employ of the Southern Pacific Company. He left here on his run before his daughter left home, and knew nothing of the matter until he was telegraphed to at Leland yesterday afternoon. He was told to come home, but was not advised of his daughter's death until he arrived at 8 o'clock this morning.

Around the young woman's throat was a well-gathered band. This could have been gathered together with such force as to choke her and yet not leave traces about her neck. The fact that one of the cords in the neck was slightly depressed is further evidence that this band was the agency employed in causing the girl's death. It would not have been so easy to have smothered her. While the murderer was choking her it is thought that he pushed her face into her hat in order to smother her screams. If there was a very violent struggle he hid the traces of it, as the clothes were arranged in an orderly manner. Some kind of a struggle took place near where the body was found, as the weeds were trampled.

McDaniel admits that he had been on intimate terms with the dead girl, and says that within the past few weeks he has been on more than intimate terms with her. He also admits that he was at Cycle Park with her on Wednesday night until about 10 o'clock, when they left for home, he going to within two blocks of the house and then leaving her.

ATHLETIC CONTESTS

Between the Teams of the Various Colleges.

By Associated Press to the Journal.

LONDON, July 22.—The Athletic contests between the teams of Oxford, Cambridge, Yale, and Harvard took place this afternoon, at the Queens Club grounds. The field and track was in excellent condition. Among those who witnessed the contests were the Prince of Wales, Ambassador Choate, and other notables.

The long jump was won by Vassall, Oxford. Hammer throwing was won by Boal, Harvard. The one hundred yard dash was won by Quinlan, Harvard. The mile race was won by Cambridge. The hurdle race was won by Fox, Harvard. The half mile race was won by Graham, Cambridge. The quarter mile race was won by Davidson, Cambridge.

The high jump was won by Rice, Harvard. The three mile race was won by Workman, Cambridge.

Miss Katie Howard of Waldport, who has been living at Salem for some time left for a visit in Lincoln county.

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